



# CONOVER NEIGHBOR

## MAY 2025

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## Conover in Bloom Concert



## Sipe's Orchard Home

*Preparing children and youth for their BEST FUTURES!*

- Friday, May 16, 2025 | 6pm
- Conover City Park | 361 5<sup>th</sup> Ave SE
- Live music by Blaze the City Band
- Food trucks, fun, and community
- Proceeds benefit children and youth at Sipe's Orchard Home



## Accessible Park Downtown

- Features:
  - Pour-in-place rubber surface
  - Wheelchair accessible rocker
  - Sensory rails
  - Climbers, and more!
- Downtown Park | 112 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NE
- Funded by the NC Parks & Rec Trust Fund Accessible Parks Grant
- Stay tuned for our grand opening date!



## Conover Branch Library

403 Conover Station SE, (828) 466-5108



- 5/1 - Homeschool Hangout - 11am
- 5/8 - Pre-K Bingo - 10am
- 5/13 - D&D Trivia Night for Teens - 6pm
- 5/20 - Beekeeping Introduction for Adults - 6pm
- 5/27 - Trail Ride Line Dance - 6:30pm



# Mark Your Calendar

- **National Day of Prayer** 5/1 | 11am | Norman B. Coley Amphitheater
- **City Council** 5/5 | 6pm | City Hall
- **Planning Board** 5/13 | 6:30pm | City Hall
- **Cruz'n for a Cause** 5/3 | 11am-6pm | Conover City Park
- **Neighborhood Day** 5/3 | 2pm-7pm | Washington Park
- **Conover Farmer's Market** Saturdays now-September | 8am-12pm | 201 1<sup>st</sup> St E
- **Juneteenth Celebration** 6/13 | 5pm-10pm | City Park

## RESIDENTIAL HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE AND ELECTRONICS ONE-DAY COLLECTION EVENT

**WHEN?**  
Saturday  
May 3, 2025  
9am - 1pm

**WHERE?**  
Hickory American Legion  
Fairgrounds  
  
1 American Legion Ave.  
Newton

BROUGHT TO YOU BY  
Catawba County  
Utilities & Engineering,  
and City of Hickory

**FREE**  
of charge  
to citizens of  
Catawba County

**RAIN  
OR  
SHINE**

### PARTIAL LIST OF HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE ACCEPTED AT THE EVENT

Household cleaners, paint products, automotive products, pesticides, fertilizers, kerosene, batteries, pool chemicals, mercury thermometers, fluorescent tubes, computer monitors, TVs, VCRs, stereos, cell phones, pagers, calculators, fax machines, microwaves, and much more!  
The County contracts with certified companies to ensure proper handling and security of waste collected.

No trailers allowed. Due to participation volume, wait times may vary.

### NOT ACCEPTED AT THE EVENT

Oxygen Tanks, Acetylene Tanks, Tires, Sharps/Needles, Firearms/Ammunition/Explosives, Business Waste

### MEDICATION DISPOSAL

The Catawba County Sheriff's Office will offer collection for unwanted medications and prescription drugs. Sharps/needles will NOT be accepted at this event.

### PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING

Keep Catawba County Beautiful will offer plastic bag recycling.

### STYROFOAM RECYCLING NEW

Packaging foam of any kind. Must be clean. No bendable foam, home insulation, sheet foam, or compostable peanuts accepted.

Reminder: Paint (no spray cans), electronics, and household batteries are accepted at the Blackburn Landfill, 4017 Rocky Ford Rd, Newton, during regular operating hours, year round and free of charge.



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